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COMMUNISTS HAVE BECOME WORKERS PARTY OF AMERICA

Only Affiliated With Moscow Soviet Now—Secretary Tells of Support Won Among Working Masses Here

TO CARRY ON STRUGGLE OPENLY IN UNITED STATES

By Associated Press

NEW YORK, Apr 17.—The Communist party of America has dissolved itself and diverted its members to the Workers Party of America which it recognizes as only an affiliation of the Third International of Moscow in the United States, it was disclosed today by C E. Ruthnberg, secretary of the central committee of the Workers' Party. The communists dissolved, according to Ruthnberg, after voting at a secret convention here April 7. He said that they believe "the support which the Workers' Party of America has already won among the working masses will enable it openly and publicly to carry on the struggle for communism in the United States."

SURE OF SUSTAINED PROSPERITY PERIOD

C. M. Mitchell Says Nation Has Not Yet Made Up Construction Deficit Caused by War

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Apr. 17.—There is ample basis for a sustained period of prosperity, Charles M. Mitchell, president of the National City Bank, declared in a statement today. He said, "the country has a great many needs to be satisfied. We have not yet made up a deficit in construction caused by war. If our prosperity is short lived. it will be because we tried to ride it too hard."

RUM RUNNERS KILL OFFICERS

Deputy Sheriff and Dry Agent Victims Today in Louisiana—Posses Seek Slayers

By Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS, Apr. 17.—Two men were shot and killed in a fight with rum runners near Violey, La., early today according to a report received here. The dead are named as Deputy Sheriff Estopinal and Federal Prohibition officer August Estevel.

When the report was verified, posses formed and hundreds of armed men began to hunt the slayers along the Mississippi river. Both men were shot from a speeding truck loaded with liquor. The machine sped toward New Orleans.

Mrs. Jay Baird Dies in Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Russell, Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith, Miss Elizabeth Smith and Miss Jessie Lee Baird have gone to Jellico to attend the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Jay Baird. Mrs. Baird died of pneumonia at her home in Dallas, Texas, Sunday morning. She has visited in Middlesboro and her friends will be grieved to hear of her death.

MIDDLESBORO TONIGHT

Richard Hale song concert, central school auditorium, 8:15 p m.

Revival services, M. E. Church, sermon subject, "Choosing a Life Partner."

Middlesboro Chapter No. 135 R. A. M. will confer mark master degree on ten candidates, 7 p. m.

K. P. meeting at K. P. Hall, 7:30 p. m.

Wallace Reid in "The Dictator," Manring Theatre, 7:30 and 9 p. m.

DANCING RECORD, NOW SIXTY-SIX HOURS, SET BY CLEVELAND GIRL

By Associated Press

CLEVELAND, Apr. 17.—The world's continuous dancing championship came back to Cleveland and into the hands of Madeline Gottschick when she quit Monday after having danced sixty-six hours and six minutes. The new worlds record which was sixty-five hours and fifty-three minutes was established by Miss Magdaline Williams of Houston, Texas. Miss Gottschick said she was forced to quit because exhausted. This was largely due to dancing on a tiled floor She began dancing Saturday afternoon

MRS. JANE HARRIS DIES AT HOME IN SHAWANEE

Mrs. Jane Harris, age 76, died Sunday morning at her home at Shawanee. She is survived by three sons, John. Harris, Shawanee; J T. Harris, Ewing and J D. Harris, Kansas City. Also five daughters, Mrs. Ruckdue, Mrs. Lake, Miss Dora Harris and Mrs. Molly Thompson of Shawanee and Mrs. Mandy Williams of Gibson Station. Funeral services were held Monday at the Methodist church, the Rev. W. D. Farmer officiating. Interment was in Scott cemetery.

EVANGELIST WILL PREACH TO YOUNG PEOPLE TONIGHT

Young people will have the privilege of hearing Rev. O. H. Callis preach of the subject of "Choosing a Life Partner" at the special young people's service at the First M. E. church revival tonight. The choir will be composed of older persons while the young people will be seated in the audience.

The attendance last night was the largest of any week night attendance during the entire campaign. After the sermon, "How to Become a Christian," a number went to the prayer room Others signified their intentions of uniting with the First M. E. Church. Good music, including special instrumental numbers, was enjoyed by the congregation

An interesting service at the Hub pool room attended by eighty-eight men this morning. Tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock a similar service will be held at the Motch Motor company. Prayer meetings are being held at the same hour each morning by Mrs. E. E. Cowden, Mrs. F. C. Evans and Mrs. G. W. Lodge who are in charge of districts one, two and three, respectively.

KIWANIS DELEGATES COMING MANY WAYS

One Will Hike From Scranton, Pa. to Atlanta, Another to Come By Airplane

ATLANTA, Ga., April. 17.— To walk Atlanta, Ga., to attend the Kiwanis all the way from Scranton, Pa., to International Convention, May 28 to 31st, is the announced intention of Harold E. Steer. of the Scranton, Pa. Y. M. C. A. He wrote to Convention Headquarters to ask for the best walking route. Mr. Steer hiked from Scranton to Toronto, Canada, to the Kiwanis Convention last year.

Faster time. however, is expected to be made by Kiwanian Tyler J. Roscoe, of Franklin, Tennessee. who has sent word that he will fly over to Atlanta on the morning of the opening day, and asking that an automobile meet him at the landing field. Mr. Roscoe owns his own plane.

Traveling more conventionally, but more sociably, will be the delegates and visitors who have already contracted for twelve special trains for the Atlanta trip. Two special trains will bring the visitors from the fourteen clubs in Chicago and a number fromn eighboring cities. Other specials are booked to leave Dallas, Texas; St. Paul, Minn.; Indianapolis, Ind; Cleveland, Ohio; Pennsylvania; New York City; Boston; Atlantic City; Washington and Florida.

More than 2,000 Kiwanians have made hotel reservations two months in advance of the Convention dates, and it is indicated that far more than the originally anticipated 6,000 visitors will be entertained in the South.

Three In Race For Bonar Law's Job

LONDON, Apr. 17.—With the going becoming harder and harder for the Bonar Law government, speculation is rife as to who will be next in line for the premiership.

Three men stand out: Earl Curzon, of Kedleston, the Earl of Derby and Austen Chamberlain.

Stanley Baldwin, chancellor of the exchequer and strongest member of the present cabinet, seems to have been dropped from consideration since the defeat of the government by a snap majority on Tuesday, April 10. He was temporarily taking the place of the prime minister, who had lost his voice. when the Laborites forced the vote while the Tories were still straggling in from dinner. For his unfaetful handling of the situation, Baldwin has come in for considerable criticism.

Althoug hthe Laborites are riding their high horsen ow, it is not expected that they will be able to get the ministry. Only in the last analysis would Ramsay McDonald be asked to form a Labor government, unless the old property-owning parties that this the best way of forcing an election and badly defeating Labor.

The chief handicaps which Lord Curzon or Lord Derby would have to face would be the growing prejudice against having a peer as premier.

The likeliest figure on the horizon is Chamberlain if he can be induced to come back into the party and unite all wings of the conservatives under him. Even then there would be a strong likelihood that he would insist on having Lloyd George as his chancellor of the exchequer and Lord Birkenhead in another important job.

If the Conservatives failed to form a cabinet under these circumstances there is a possibility that Lloyd George or Asquith might be asked to step in.

"BOOM," MYSTERIOUS SIGN SPRINGS OVER NIGHT TO PROMINENCE

BOOM—

The four letters which form a very ordinary word have come into local prominence over night Painted on a strip of white canvas a score or more feet in length, the huge red mystifying symbol suspended over Cumberland avenue at the intersection of Twenty-first street may be seen for many blocks Of course we all know what the word mehns though the term has become almost obsolete in Middlesboro, but what peculiar significance has it at this time that has caused it to be placed thus before the public? Who put it there? Why did they do it?

A prominent member of the Merchants' Association says that it is to detract the visitor's attention from the craters in the pavement under the billowing sign. If this hypothesis be true then why was this particular spot so honored when there are hundreds of other such places along the avenue?

The unknown jester or booster—he is either one or the other—who authorized the painting and hanging of the sign is a mysterious personage who appeared at the sign shop yesterday and contracted for the job. To further complicate the matter, the painter himself is in Knoxville today and the mystery is as far from solution as ever.

Wilson Baby Dies

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wilson died at their home on Edgewood Road at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. Funeral services were held Monday an dinterment was in the family cemetery near Tazewell.

BASEBALL SEASON AGAIN UNDER WAY

Opens With Games in Chicago, Boston Cincinnati and Brooklyn Today

By Associated Press

CHICAGO, Apr. 17.—Familiar signs of "baseball today" acme into view on street cars and busses today as players and fans in the four major league's cities prepared for the opening National League schedule. The Cubs and Pittsburg Pirates clash here, the New York Giants at Boston, St. Louis is on the schedule to play at Cincinnati and Philadelphia at Brooklyn.

EARL CURZON (ABOVE), THE EARL OF DERBY, (CENTER) AND AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN

HUTCHINS SPEAKS AT P.T.A. MEETING

Tells America's Duty to World in Saving From Moral and Political Destruction

That it is the duty of America to rescue a sinking world from ignorance, poverty and disgrace and that it is already beginning to fulfill this sacred obligation was the theme of the lecture of William J. Hutchins. Berea College president, at the Parent-Teachers meeting last night.

Mr Hutchins told of the moral, religious, physical and political degradation of Japan, China, India, Turkey and other countries of the East and of the noble work being done by Americans over there.

The speaker said that he was very favorably impressed with Middlesboro. "I know of no city that has made more rapid advances in the past year in education." he said.

There was a short but highly appreciated musical program. Elizabeth. Hambright and Malcolm Caskey sang a duet little Louise Hoe sang a clever character song.

It was announced by Mrs. Hubbard, chairman, that the national and state P. T. A. convention will be held at Louisville. April, 23-29 and that the Middlesboro association may send fifteen delegates. She announced that although the final report on the Tag Day drive was not completed the campaign had netted $535.

The meeting was well attended. Miss McMillian's room won the lower grades attendance prize while the other prize went to Miss Virginia Parker's room.

A nominating committee to nominate candidates for the various offices of the organization for the coming year was appointed by the chair so that it may choose the candidates before the next meeting night upon which the annual election of officers will be held It is composed of Hugh Allen. Mrs. H. H. Hutcheson. Mrs. M. S. Hollingsworth, Miss Delphia Herndon. Mrs. Mary Brown, Mrs. J. H. McGiboney. The meeting was opened by invocation by the Rev. W. K. McClure.

DEVELOP OIL IN SOUTHEASTERN KY.

Louisville Oil and Gas Companies Plan to Sink Thirty Wells Near Magoffin Region

By Associated Press

LOUISVILLE, Apr. 17.—Officials of the Louisville Gas and Electric company have confirmed the Whitesburg report that the Gas company the Swiss Oil Corporation have entered into a contract to put down thirty test wells in Letcher, Perry Knott counties surrounding the Magoffin-Johnson oil region. The Swiss corporation will develop the oil and the Gas company, the gas. The initial cost is forty thousand.

TRYING TO ORGANIZE A BAND FOR MIDDLESBORO

Efforts to organize a band for Middlesboro are being made and a meeting of those who can play band instruments will be held at the city hall at 7.30 o'clock Friday night. Anthony I. Bisceglia who is in charge of the movement says that a leader will be hired if the business men of the city will back up the proposition. In case they do not decide to hire a leader, Mr. Bisceglia will take this position. Those who can play any kind of band instrument are requested to be at the meeting Friday night or to communicate with Mr. Bisceglia.

Weather Forecast

WASHINGTON, Apr. 17.—For Kentucky: Fair and continued cool tonight with frost. Wednesday, fair; with slowly rising temperature.

STROLLERS COMING HERE ON APRIL 30

University Players to Present "Lady Windermere's Fan"—Frances Smith in Leading Role

"Lady Windermere's Fan" the famous comedy of manners written by Oscar Wilde for the English period of 1890 will be presented by the Strollers the dramatic organization of the University of Kentucky in Middlesboro, Monday night, April 30 and if all previous records are upheld this will be the social and dramatic event of the season.

Miss Frances Smith, who was so attractive in the youthful role of last year's production has been entrusted with the leading part. that of Lady Widermere Miss Smith is beautiful and graceful and capable of giving o the part an excellent interpretation. Playing opposite Miss Smith will be her juvenile associate in dramatics last year, Dan Morse, who won the lead over a brilliant entry of unusually high class actors. The list of the leading parts is complete when the names of Miss Eleanor Morse. Miss Lucille Still well and James Darnell are mentioned. Miss Morse will be remembered for her extremely artistic work of the last year and Miss Stillwell and Mr. Darnell may be accounted the real finds of the season. These characters are difficult and they each handle them with positive conviction. Other members of the cast are Miss Mary Peterson, Ida Kenny Risque, Mary Stofe. Virginia Shively. Pauline Parks and Jeanette Lampert. Messrs. Ed Sans, John Walsh. James Chapman, E M. Heavrin. Gardner Bayless, Gilbert Smith. J. B. Layman, and William Finn.

Rehearsals are being held daily on the campus and the work of stage setting has been completed and is now in the hands of the decorators. The production will undoubtedly be the best of the Strollers' have ever exhibited and the play will be given two nights and a matinee in Lexington.

MAYOR KEENEY KNOWS NOTHING ABOUT STREET CARNIVAL PROPOSITION

"I don't know anything about any proposition to bring a street carnival here to raise money for repair of streets," said Mayor J. H. Keeney this afternoon, "If you want to know anything about the carnival you will have to see members of the ministers association," he continued after being informed of the action of the association.

The Mayor further stated that he had had no conversation with any representative of the Woman's Club in regard to such a proposition. He did not express himself as being either for or against permitting such a carnival to come here.

HALE CONCERT TONIGHT WILL BE RARE MUSICAL TREAT

Richard Hale, noted New York baritone will give a special song recital at the central school auditorium at 8:15 o'clock, and Middlesboro music lovers feel certain that they will hear in this concert, the finest musical feature not only of this season but of two or three past. Mr. Hale has won unusual notice wherever he has sung and the most conservative New York critics are extravagant in their praise of his voice and his technique.

The program of the recital will be somewhat varied, beginning with the wonderful "Credo" from Otello, going through several lyric and dramatic groups and finishing with a group of negro spirituelles.

Tickets will be on sale at the door and, as there are no reserved seats, those from out of town who come tonight may get as good seats as any one.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH HOLDS COTTAGE PRAYER SERVICES

Series of prayer meetings at the homes of the Christian church have been arranged for this week. Last night the meeting was held at the home of Mrs. W. U. Oaks on Exeter avenue and was led by W. L.Buchanu. The schedule for the other nights follows: Tuesday, at the home of Judge C. A. Woods, Twenty-first street, leader, Prof. J. W. Bradner; Wednesday, the prayer service will be held at the church; Thursday, at the home of Mrs. S. W. Givens, leader, Chas. E. Cooke; Friday at the home of H. M. Axline, leader, H. R. Chandler.

On Sunday the first of the series of revival meetings will be held by Rev. Joel H. Jones, evangelist. The meetings will continue for two weeks.

NEGRO ARRESTED FOR DALRYMPLE MURDER, DENIES GUILT

By Associated Press.

HOPKINSVILLE, Apr. 17.—Charles Johnson, negro, 20, was arrested at his home in Crofton in this county in connection with the death of C. C. Dalrymple, 22, of Christman, Ill., whose body was found Friday night under an L and N. trestle eight miles north of here. Johnson denies he killed Ed Dalrymple. He was jailed.

Raney Baby Dies Today

Charlie Raney, three weeks old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Raney, died early this morning. Funeral services were held this afternoon; interment was in the Johnson cemetery.

PRESIDENT FEARS LABOR SHORTAGE BY IMMIGRATION LAW

Agrees With Gary Who Opposes Restrictions—Davis Reports Open Gates Would Bring Prosperity to An End

UNRESTRICTED EMMIGRATION BRING FLOOD OF WORKERS

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Apr. 17.—President Harding said today that he believed E. H. Gary, steel magnate was quite correct in his statement to stockholders that a serious labor shortage was threatened through the operations of the restrictive immigration law. In a report to the President Secretary Davis said despite the labor situation he believed throwing open the gates of immigration and flooding the country with workers, "would bring prosperity to and end."

PROBE TREATMENT LAKELAND PATIENTS

After Man Said to Have Been Beaten To Death, Relatives Investigate Death of Another

By Assosiated Press.

LOUISVILLE, Apr. 17.—On the heel of the death of Willie Swift, said to have been beaten to death at the hospital for the insane at Lakeland, authorities, at the request of relatives, ordered the exhumation of the body of Isaac Smith who died at the institution April 10. Relatives say his body was badly bruised.

22ND AUTO VICTIM DIES IN LOUISVILLE

Street Railway Employe Dead Today—Nine More Killed Than Last Year to This Time

By Associated Press.

LOUISVILLE, Apr. 17.—W. Harvey Whiteside, 50, street railway employee, died today as the result of injuries in an automobile accident. He is the twenty-second victim of the year as against thirteen killed up to the same date last year from the same cause.

FOR A BETTER MIDDLESBORO

Specific improvements make up the details of a campaign for a BIGGER AND BETTER MIDDLESBORO, and a list is to be compiled of these details, for use from day to day. Today we are advocating:

That our passenger depot be made a cleaner, more sightly and more sanitary place at once, and that the utmost influence be brought to bear toward getting a new station.

That a general movement for street improvement be instituted immediately, with emphasis on repair and construction of Cumberland Avenue.

That a system of street marking be devised in this city so that a stranger or for that matter, a resident, can find his way around without undue inquiries.

That the ordinance prohibiting spitting in public places be rigidly enforced and the practice be condemned as repugnant and unsanitary. ... .

That the spiritual side may not be neglected in the campaign for a Better Middlesboro, but rather that we should emphasize the importance of building spiritually as paramount to any material improvement.

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A THOUGHT

Open thy mouth, judge righteously and plead the cause of the poor and needy.—Prov. 31:9.

There is in the soul a taste for the good, just as there is in the body an appetite for enjoyment.—Joubert.

THE SPIRITUAL IN A BETTER MIDDLESBORO

That no material progress is effective without spiritual progress, the point brought out yesterday in the resolutions of the Middlesboro Ministerial Association, is well taken. We must not only recoguize the spiritual side in a campaign for a better Middlesboro, but we must allot to this the most prominent position.

No lasting prosperity, in the true sense of the word, ever comes to a community or a person which ignores God. A man may make money, certainly, and gain power and position, in defiance of God's law. A community or government may flourish for a time, erect fine buildings and produce fine art, with no thought of responsibility to God, but sooner or later destruction and failure overtakes this or society. It is the inexorable rule of God that a man is always made to face the realities of life, to understand the true scale of values before he dies. In the same way, there is a reckoning for every group in society that takes it upon itself to defy God. History gives us no examples of exceptions to this rule, and his tory is the one unquestionable reference.

Middlesboro's progress in education, in law abiding and in civic upbuilding have gone hand in hand with the growth of her churches. As short a time as ten years ago the few churches here, each with a mere handful of members, had to struggle to keep going and their weight in city matters was practically negligible. At this same time law enforcement was a joke, our schools had little higher motive than to teach children discipline, and the status of civic improvement was indeed unhappy.

Those persons who have spent the past decade here know what the churches have done, and, if they consider carefully, they know in what a great way they are responsible for the city's regeneration. Then, can we forget them in our drive for a better Middlesboro? Can we thoughtfully ignore the part of the spiritual in any campaign for better and nobler things, when we know that the spiritual is the one true and constant inspiration toward these very things for which we strive?

THE OPEN FORUM

Editor Daily News:

I have read and reread newspaper accounts of roads in the nation and, more in particular, in Middlesboro, Pineville and Bell County. I have been a good road advocate for several years, every since I used to wade mud to get to school when I was a boy.

Now, I have been trying to teach school for the past twenty-five or thirty years in this state, and I am sure that the bad roads and the sorry text-books have done more to hamper education than any thing else. Kentucky ranks forty-third in the scale of illiteracy and does any one think it is for the lack of teachers, good school laws or school officers? No, it is for the want of good roads, especially in the rural districts, where the children have to wade the mud and walk foot logs across the creaks and branches, which are most of the time dangerous, in order to get to the school house.

Bond issues have been voted in this county as well as others in the past few years, resulting in the building of roads, so that these is now a thoroughfare through Bell County, and, in good weather, through Kentucky. It is wonderful how much education has improved in the state the past four or five years, since roads are being built. Senator White L. Moss and Representative Joe F. Bosworth are making the fight for good roads and I want to say we all ought to be behind them in order to keep u pthe fight for good roads in this state and then y ou will see no balk or halt in the steady advancement of education in Kentucky.

There are no smarter children, no more industrious parents in any state than in ours, and we believe(with all our soul, that the lack of good roads is what is the matter with education in Kentucky. School officers, from state superintendent down to local trustees and teachers are not to blame it is the roads. May they improve till every district and neighborhood in the state and county have good roads.

Now I am informed that there is some dispute or disagreement between the state and city authorities over the Booneway Highway through this city, from the freight depot to Tenth Street on Cumberland Avenue, and, if it is not already adjusted. I hope it will be soon in order that this highway may be completed and we may have a good road straight through our city on to Virigina and Tennessee This will mean more to Middlesboro than any other thing.

Kentucky's bad roads are standing in the way of Kentucky's progress and better education. As the soldier boys from this state went over the top for democracy and civilization, let us not fail to go over the top for their local counterparts, education and good roads.

Respectfully,
C. C. Smith.

The happiest ones are those who are busiest, so this may be why the boot leggers are grinning.

Ignoring troubles makes them feel pretty small.

SOUNDING THE KEY NOTE FOR 1924

Tom Sims Says

Whispering sweet nothings into her ear is better than poking sweet somethings into her mouth.

People without enough sense to come in out of the rain have a chance to learn during April.

Reason women don't dress sensible is perfectly obvious It would make them look so foolish.

Friends can be very annoying but if it were not for them you would be a total stranger.

The difference between a bow tie and the regular kind of tie is about 15 minutes.

Never doing things by halves is fine unless you eat grapefruit.

About the only way some people can make both ends meet is by putting their toes in their mouth

Before speaking your mind, be sure you have one.

Keeping in touch with people is the only way you can make a touch.

An onion is a seed that took advantage of is opportunities

Tuition is what you pay at college. Not as valuable as intuition.

A grouch is a man who find a quarter and cusses his luck because it was was not a dollar.

The honeymoon is what ends when he learns she can cuss.

Heaven is the place where a man is fired for getting to work on time.

A street car is what there is always seats in when it is coming back from where you are going

A fat man is one who wishes he could be weighed and found wanting

Tobacco smoke kills insects. But you can't get them to smoke.

Skin of the human palm is 75 times as thick as the eyelid. so why keep your hands in your pockets?

Things always could be worse. Wouldn't you have an awful time eating if you had no elbows?

Plants grow faster early in the morning. so you might buy your garden an alarm clock.

They claim a Los Angeles doctor is a thief. He had kleptomania and took something for it.

Bet the writer of this "Hot Lips" song was thinking of an old flame.

Our biggest dirigible flew 500 miles without an accident, unless this was an accident.

Harding got sunburned in Florida where he had a hot time

❖ ❖ Berton Braley's Daily Poem ❖ ❖

ONE TRAVELER

❖ ❖ ❖ ❖ By Berton Braley ❖ ❖ ❖ ❖

I speak to nobody, nobody, nobody,
And nobody speaks to me;
For how can you know what kind of folks
These traveling folks may be?
They might be barbers, or thieves and crooks
Whose business is burglaree
S I speak to nobody, nobody, nobody,
And nobody speaks to me!
The sociable people I always snub
Whenever they speak to me,
So I sit and read and smoke and yawn
In my own society;
A bally nuisance, to run about
On trains or on ships at sea,
For I speak to nobody, nobody, nobody.
And nobody speaks to me.
Ho hum. I'm fearfully tired of myself
and the scenery that I see,
But one must maintain one's proper place
In human society,
One can't take chances of meeting those
Of humble or low degree,
So I speak to nobody, nobody, nobody,
And nobody speaks to me.

LETTER FROM SALLY ATHERTON TO BEATRICE GRIMSHAW, FRIENDS OF THE NEWLYWED JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTTS

Oh Bee, I am having my troubles. Yesterday my boss kept me very late at the office Of course I realize he isn't supposed to know that after I arrive home every night, I have to get my husband's dinner, but I do think it is rather inconsiderate of him to start to dictate to me just a little before five and expect me to get out the letters for him that night.

Naturally I want to be as good as a man would be under the same conditions, but I noticed that when I left the office after six o'clock there wasn't a male stenographer at his desk. This morning when I arrived at the office I also found Mr. Ward had not returned to sign the letters and mail them, although he said he was staying down town for that very purpose and he had impressed upon me the importance of their going out on the evening mail.

When I arrived home it didn't help matters any to find that Sam was already there but, instead of starting anything for dinner, I found him looking decidedly surly because I was late. He said Mr. Ward was a hog and that, under the circumstances, he would have refused to work overtime. Now you and I know very well he would have done nothing of the kind.

Dear Bee, I have almost come to the conclusion that the old adage is right which reads, "The way to a man's love is through his stomach."

Sam should know if he thinks about my work that I must stay at the office as long as Mr. Ward wishes. I always get up quite early in the morning so that I can arrange our dinner in a way that entails the least work and the quickest time in getting it on the table at night. but Sam had not even lighted the gas under the potatoes.

I wonder if I am really wrong. I wonder if I have begun my married life by making a mistake the first thing I wonder if no woman can be both a business woman and a housekeeper I was so sure that I could be both, but I find my nerves getting frazzled and I have begun to suspect that I am doing neither the work in the house nor the work in the office with a hundred per cent efficiency.

Sam seems to think that his business is paramount. He is always talking about how hard he works and, some way, I believe he never realizes that I am doing anything in the office.

That old idea that a woman never works, even if she draws a salary, is dying hard in the minds of men.

I had an idea that keeping house meant nothing in the world to do, but I found that keeping a house neat and clean and getting appetizing meals takes much longer time and more thinking than I had ever dreamed. Bee, it is a business all by itself.

Don't think I am finding fault. I am just disappointed that my theories haven't seemed to work out. Perhaps in a little while I will become adjusted and everything will come out all right. I've just had to let off steam. Expect a letter soon, all about the wedding of Leslie Hamilton and John Alden Prescott Sally.

HUPMOBILES BEING SOLD AS FAST AS DELIVERIES COME

Hupmobiles are being sold as rapidly as they can be delivered by the Howe-Lambert company at the Junction which added the Hup to their agency about two months ago. Knoxville being the distributing point. deliveries are usually prompt.

The firm has had the agency for Reo cars and trucks for two years. All models of touring cars of this make have been sold here as well as a majority of the large passenger busses The officers of the Howe-Lambert company are: R. E. Howe, president; Dave Lambert, vice president and L. D Rouser, secretary-treasurer. In addition to the agencies for three models of cars the firm operates a general repair shop having a force of six mechanics. It has recently completed a large sales room at the Junction and has a down-town agency in the Citizens' Bank building The firm is selling about twenty Chevrolets each month

IN FOREIGN LANDS

TINTED TRAVELS

Sketches by L. W Redner. Verses by Hal Cochran
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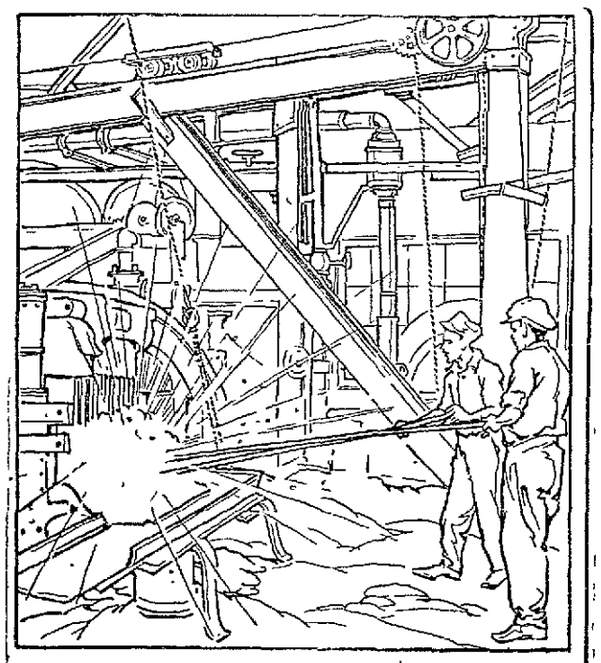

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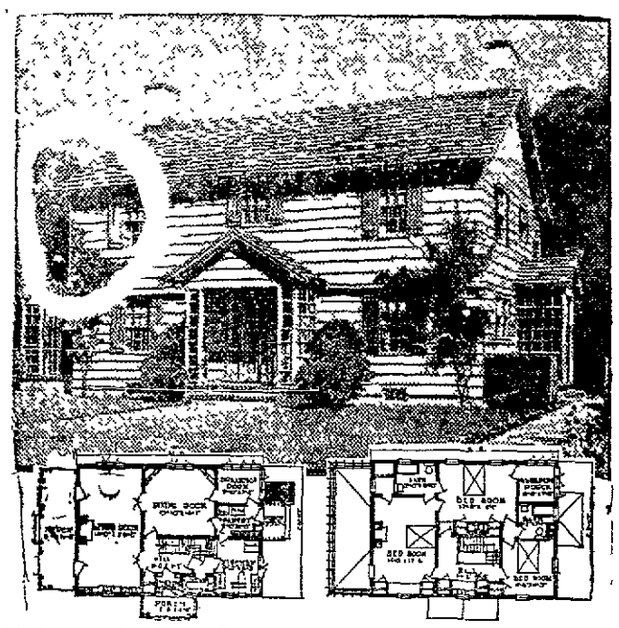

CURTIS SERVICE BUREAU, CLINTON, IA., PLANNED THIS BUILDING ALONG RECTANGULAR LINES.

The home pictured here is an example of modern small house building at its best. It has all the elements of economical construction and the quality of excellent appearance.

There are seven large rooms with an abundance of closets and built-in features Yet it is not too large to be placed on an ordinary city lot, leaving room for a driveway to the garage.

The layout of rooms is rectangular, an arrangement of which Charles E. White, Jr, a leading architect of the country, has said: "Rectangular houses permit a better arrangement of rooms than square houses."

Sheltered Hall

The stair hall is sheltered by a vestibule, containing a coat closet. The living room occupies one side of the house, with windows on three sides, and a fireplace in the center of the long outside wall. Under the window which overlooks the rear garden is a built-in window seat, with bookcases in the corners at each side.

At the front of the other side of the hall is the light, cheerful dining room A pair of corner china closets give it a quaint charm, and a fireplace across one corner adds to its hospitable air. The fourth courner is also cut across by the kitchen door, giving the room an unusual and pleasing shape.

Kitchen Aids

In the kitchen there are numerous built-in conveniences. A separate rear entry with a window in it is provided for the refrigerator. From this entry the basement steps are accessible, so that laundry and ashes may be taken out of doors without intrusion into a spotless kitchen.

Each of the four bedrooms upstairs has two sides Each on a corner location, with a clothes closet and also a built-in tray case. Near the bath room there is a linen case built-in.

BUILDING NOTES

J. D. Templin is beginning the construction of a handsome brick residence on Dorchester Avenue, which will, it is said, be among the finest and most expensive homes in town when it is completed.

Alex Lambert, John Martin and Henry Hatfield are building residence houses at the Junction.

Work on the concrete floor of the vacant Shelburne building is being completed today. Further work of remodeling will not be done until a tenant is found.

W. C. Catron is busy with plans for his proposed new garage building though the foundation work has not been begun yet.

The interior of the Racket Store building in which L. D. Hill will establish a dry goods store is being remodeled this week. It is thought that the store room will be ready for occupancy by Thursday.

E. S. Helburn has started remodeling his home on West Cumberland avenue. A living room, bed room and bath will be added on the west side and other improvements will be made.

Dr. L. L. Robertson is remodeling the interior of his home on Edgewood Road to some extent.

Construction of C. W Bailey's attractive new brick bungalow on West Cumberland Avenue is progressing rapidly and the building will probably be completed before long.

OPPOSE REGULATION OF BUILDING BY THE GOVERNMENT

Manufacturers' Record Says Economic Affairs Will Adjust Prices Better Than Any Possible Official Action

SAYS FEDERAL INTERVENTION BECOMES RANK PATERNALISM

In a telegram to President Harding published last week, with an editorial explanation thereof, the Manufacturers Record took an emphatic stand against the suggestion of Mr. Hoover to President Harding that all but absolutely essential government work, national and local, should be held in abeyance until general business construction has slackened.

We have seen no reason whatever, to change our views in regard to the unwisdom of the Government or of states or municipalities halting their building activities by reason of the scarcity of materials or of the prices which are prevailing. We do not believe that this is the way to bring about long-continued prosperity but on the contiary that it is the way to bring about short-lived activity, with a long period of dullness and poverty following. If the power of the Government or of the banking interests is to be used at times to halt prosperity and building activities, merely because prices of material or wages are regarded by officials as too high, then we will have fallen under the domination of a paternalism greater than this or any other country has ever known. Reginald McKenna, formerly Chancellor of the Exchequer of Great Britain, now president of one of the greatest banks in the world, in his annual report as quoted by us last week, took very strong ground against any attempt by financial interests to control business activities. We believe that the individual investor or builder must decide for himself whether he is justified in carrying on his work in times of activity or not.

We don't believe in the government or in bankers attempting to decide for him. When prices get too high the swing of the pendulum in economic affairs will regulate prices better than they can possible be regulated by official action. If prices go beyond what the public of its own accord thinks reasonable, the public will cease to buy or cease to build; but when financial influences or government officials undertake, by example or by teaching to tell the public that prices are too high or too low they are going entirely outside of their province. Economic laws should be left to work out the movements of trade and commerce and business. The Government has no right to bull or bear cotton or wheat or sugar or manufactured products or credit or discount rates. These are beyond the province of any government and become paternalism so rank as to ultimately spell ruin.

Though a number of letters from business men are in opposition to the views expressed by this paper we take pleasure in giving our readers both sides of the question, reiterating our own views that it would be a great mistake on the part of the Government or of states and municipalities to lessen their building activities, for practically all of the work of that kind which is under way or projected is needed and ably needed, and its completion would be for the good of the whole country.—Manufbacturers Record.

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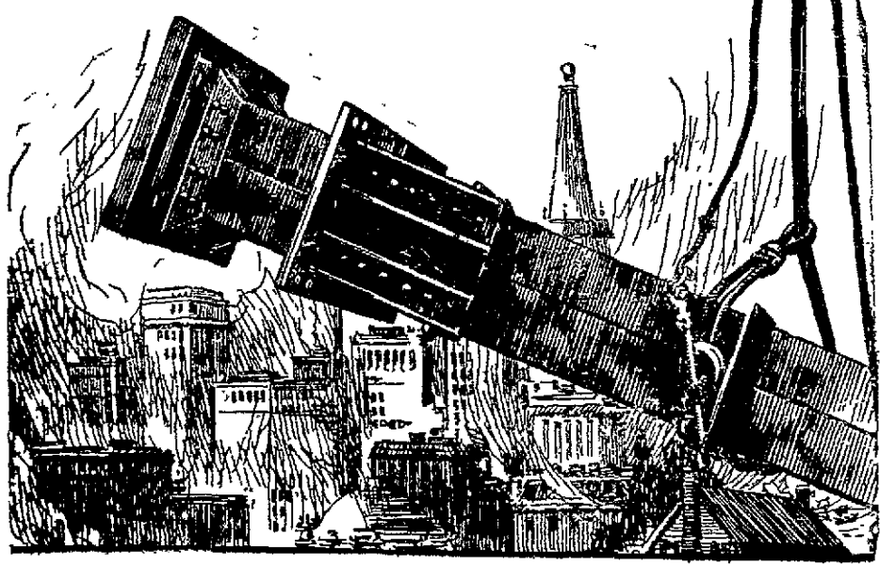

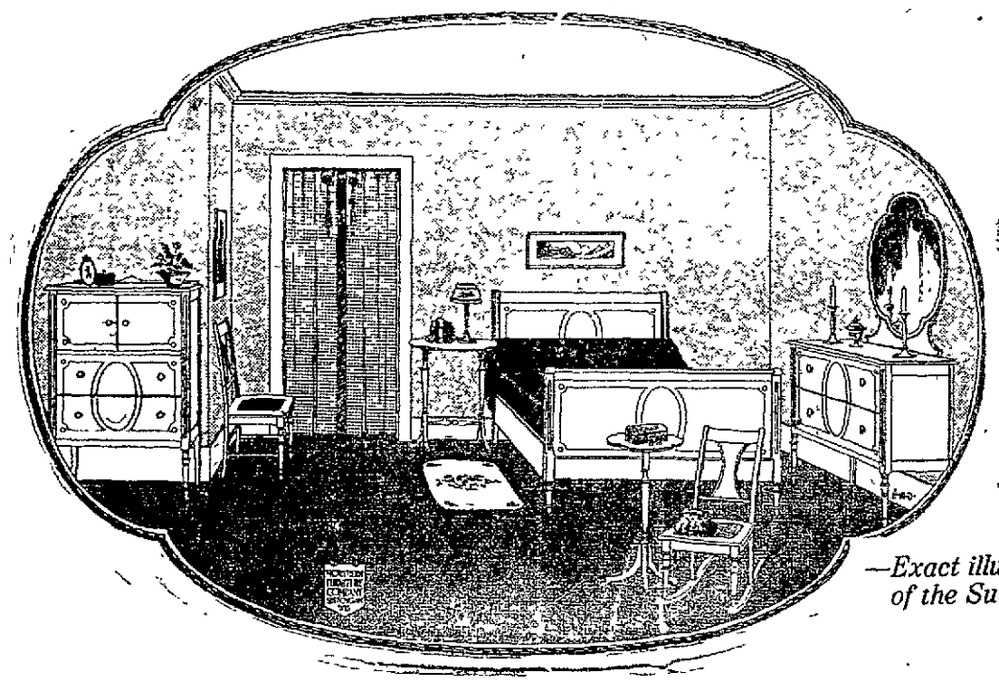

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The beading of the panel outlines and the mouldings and the mirror frames are enriched by an antique silver finish. The fluting in the standards and the grooves in the posts and rails are pricked out in dull Genoese red.

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American League Chiefs Size Up Their Teams

By CONNIE MACK, Manager Philadelphia Athletics

Connie Mack

I feel that the experimental days are over as far as the Athletics are concerned. My team has arrived. All I ask is pitching, and we will make any team in the league step some. Sammy Hale has made our infield, which is now one of the best in the American League. Pitching is my greatest worry, yet outside of the New York club, I can't figure where any other team in the American League has much on us in that respect. The Athletics are no longer the door mat of the American League.

By DONIE BUSH, Manager Washington Nationals

BUSH

Far be it from me to make any predictions on the outcome of the American League race. In my first year as a manager I am anxious to make good. I am hopeful that the showing of the Washington club will win me such recognition. I know the players are fore me and that means everything. I will say this about my club, it will be in there fighting for every game. Washington fans will get a run for their money for the players will always be giving their best efforts.

By FRANK CHANCE, Manager Boston Red Sox

CHANCE

Getting out of last place will be my chief thought in my new job as manager of the Boston Red Sox. It would be ridiculous for me to talk pennant stuff. I feel that the addition of McMillan, Camp O'Dowl and Murray, secured in the trade with New York, will help my team, also the Washington trade that gave me Catcher Picinich and Outfielder Gobel and Infielder Shanks. Boston fans will see many new faces this year, pretty much a new team that is going to make a better showing than last year. O'Dowl and Murray should help my pitching.

By TY COBB, Manager Detroit Tigers

COBB

Give the Detroit team good pitching and it will make trouble for any club. The Tigers are strong at every position and well supplied with capable substitutes. Pitching will be the big thing with my club. If Johnson comes through as I feel he should, and Rip Collins and Ray Francis win consistently, the Tigers are going to upset a lot of dope for the experts as well as other American League clubs. I am well pleased with my youngsters, and positive several of them will be very valuable to the club during the coming season.

By MILLER HUGGINS, Manager New York Yankees

HUGGINS

Pitching will decide the American League pennant. The Yanks have the pitching. In Pennock I have acquired a high class left handed pitcher to fill the one and only weakness on our club. I am confident the Yankees will repeat. I want another crack at the world series. The Yankees are a much better club than they ever showed in the big even. The best feeling prevails on my club despite the efforts of some people to make it seem otherwise.

By LEE FOHL, Manager St. Louis Browns

FOHL

The big idea with me is to win ball games during the season rather than pennants in the spring. I have no predictions to make as to the outcome of the race. I am positive I have a great ball club and feel certain the boys will prove it. The Browns lost the pennant by only one game last year. We may do even better this year. I am hopeful that Sisler will have fully recovered as he means much to my ball club. His absence from the game for any great length of time would prove very serious.

By TRIS SPEAKER, Manager Cleveland Indians

SPEAKER

In rebuilding the Cleveland ball club, I feel that we have already accomplished much. Three new players Lutzke, Summa and Myatt, will add much needed strength to the Indians. The spirit to win is uppermost with every player. The boys have forgotten they ever won a world series in 1920. I am shooting at a first division berth. Fourth place will look pretty good to me. I want to stick around in the first division. If a club holds down a berth there, first place is never very far away.

By KID GLEASON, Manager Chicago White Sox

The White Sox are going to be mighty troublesome the coming season. Willie Kamm is a great ball player. He has plugged up the hole at third base. My pitching will be much improved. Leverette, Robertson and Ted Blankenship made their major league debut last year. The trio of youngsters will show the benefit of that experience. Then there is "Red" Faber, the most effective pitcher in the league last year. In addition I have three star vets in Schalk, Collins and Hooper. We are certain to make a first division noise.

HIGH PRICE LUMBER DUE TO DEMAND

Local Dealers Do Not Fear Threatened Federal Curtailment—Market Stable Now

That the present high prices of lumber and building materials is due to increased demands and to a limited supply rather than to any organized effort on the part of a few big lumber interests to keep the price up is the opinion of local lumber dealers. They say that the advance in prices this spring is in direct proportion to the demand.

They do not regard as serious the threatened curtailment of buying for government building purposes. Neither do they regard the attitude of the government as implying the existence of a lumber trust. But even if the government should cease to buy lumber for its own purposes it would not affect the market generally as a comparatively small amount of lumber is used in such building.

The lumber market has become practically stable now, the local dealers say, and has been so for the past few weeks. The number of new buildings is increasing daily and dealers here are supplying the demands. All of them have full lines of builders' supplies and plenty of lumber on their yards.

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